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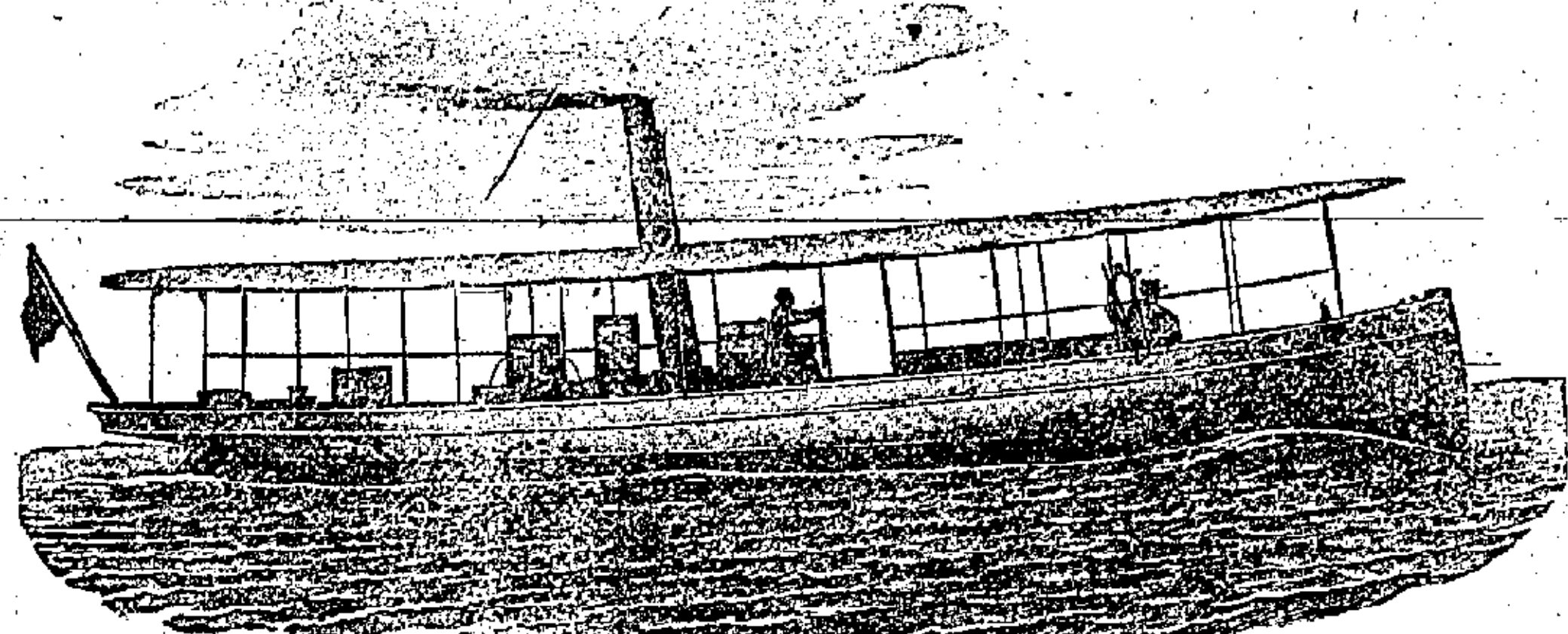
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be held at the Company's Office, No. 9, Des
Voeux Road, Victoria, in the Colony of
Hongkong, on Saturday, the 8th day of
December, 1900, at Noon, for the purpose
of considering and, if thought fit, passing
the A or B Resolutions following, viz:—

1. That the Capital of the Company be
increased by the creation and issue of
60,000 New Ordinary Shares of \$10
each, with the sum of \$8 paid-up on
each, and that the Directors be em-
powered and authorised to accept sub-
scribers of the present 60,000 Ordinary
Shares of the Company of \$8 each on
which the sum of \$8 each has been
paid up, and that one New Share of
\$10, with the sum of \$8 paid-up there-
on, be given in lieu of and in ex-
change for each old share of \$8 fully
paid up, and that thereupon the said
old shares be cancelled.
2. That of the remaining \$2 payable in
respect of each of the New Shares the
sum of \$1 be paid on the surrender of
the old share, and that the residue be
paid (if necessary) called up and paid at
such times and in such instalments as
the Board may determine.

1. That the Capital of the Company be
increased by the creation and issue of
61,000 New Ordinary Shares of \$12
each, with the sum of \$8 paid up on
each, and that the Directors be em-
powered and authorised to accept sub-
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Shares of the Company of \$8 each on
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paid up, and that one New Share of
\$12, with the sum of \$8 paid-up there-
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paid up, and that thereupon the said
old shares be cancelled.

2. That of the remaining \$4 payable in
respect of each of the New Shares the
sum of \$1 be paid on the surrender of
the old share, and that the residue be
paid (if necessary) called up and paid at
such times and in such instalments as
the Board may determine.

Should either of the above Resolutions be
passed by the requisite majority they will
be submitted for confirmation as Special
Resolutions to a Second Extraordinary
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By Order of the Board of Directors,
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G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, December 8, 1900. 2419

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.
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Yokohama (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama & Honolulu).
Thursday, Jan. 22, 1901, at Noon.
Yokohama (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama & Honolulu).
Thursday, Feb. 14, at Noon.

THE U. S. Steamship - CHINA will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on THURSDAY, the 27th December, at Noon, taking Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application.

Passengers holding through ORDERS TO EUROPE have the choice of the Greatland Rail route from San Francisco, including the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER and RIO GRANDE, and NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAYS; also the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY on payment of \$4 in addition to the regular tariff rate. Passengers holding orders FOR OVERLAND CITIES in United States have between San Francisco and Chicago, the option of the SOUTHERN PACIFIC, CENTRAL PACIFIC, UNION PACIFIC, DENVER and RIO GRANDE and other direct connecting Railways, and from Chicago to destination, the choice of direct lines.

Particulars of the various routes can be had on application. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Oriental Railway, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Consular invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco in the U. S. and States, should be sent to the Company's offices in San Francisco, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage and Freight apply to the Agency of the Company, Queen's Building.
J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.
Hongkong, December 4, 1900. 1834

Occidental and Oriental Steamship Co.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE VIA THE OVERLAND FAIRWAYS, AND ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.
VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.
Gaulle (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama & Honolulu).
Tuesday, Dec. 11, at Noon.
Doric (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama & Honolulu).
Saturday, January 5, at Noon.
Cypria (via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama & Honolulu).
Tuesday, Jan. 29, at Noon.

THE Co.'s Steamship GAULLE will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on TUESDAY, the 11th Dec., at Noon.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passengers Tickets granted to England, France and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and particulars of the various routes may be obtained upon application.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and their families.

Passenger who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. (This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe).

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

Consular invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, Queen's Building.
J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.
Hongkong, November 17, 1900. 2002

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WILL dispatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES named:—
FOR STEAMSHIP CAPTAIN DATE.
LONDON, &c., Sobraon * I. M. WIMMER, R.N.R. Noon, 8th Dec.
SHANGHAI, &c., Bengel S. BARCLAY, R.N.R. About 9th Dec.
LONDON, &c., Sobraon * T. H. HIDE, R.N.R. About 13th Dec.
SHANGHAI AND JAPAN G. W. GORDON, R.N.R. About 25th Dec.

PASSENGER SEASON, 1901.
S. S. PLASSY, 7240 Tons, March 30th
S. S. SOBRAON, 7382 Tons, April 27th
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P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, December 6, 1900. 879

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.
Steamers. Sailing Dates.
KONIG ALBERT WEDNESDAY, 12th December.
PRINZ HEINRICH WEDNESDAY, 26th December.
PRINZESS IRENE WEDNESDAY, 9th January.
PRINZESS WEDNESDAY, 23rd January.
HAMBURG (HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE) WEDNESDAY, 6th February.
SACHSEN WEDNESDAY, 20th February.
KLAUSCHOU (HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE) WEDNESDAY, 6th March.
BAYERN WEDNESDAY, 20th March.
STUTTGART WEDNESDAY, 3rd April.
KONIG ALBERT WEDNESDAY, 17th April.
PRINZ HEINRICH WEDNESDAY, 1st May.
PRINZESS IRENE WEDNESDAY, 15th May.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of December, 1900, at Noon, the S. S. KONIG ALBERT, of the Norddeutscher Lloyd, Captain O. CORRENS, with MAILES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at NAPLES and GENOA.

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LONDON, &c., Argos JACKSON 12th December.
LONDON, &c., Catches BARTLETT 25th December.
LONDON, &c., Achilles BROWN 8th January, 1901.

LIVERPOOL (Taking Cargo at London) Pyrrhus TILLOTSON 7th December.
LIVERPOOL (Taking Cargo at London) Ulysses KIMONISON 14th December.

For Freight, apply to
HONGKONG, December 1, 1900.
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents, O. S. S. Co.
2402

OREGON AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
In connection with the OREGON RAILROAD AND NAVIGATION COMPANY.
Proposed Sailing from HONGKONG TO PORTLAND, (OR.) VIA SAN FRANCISCO, VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, KOBE and YOKOHAMA, TAKING CARGO TO JAPAN PORTS, THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA.

THE Steamship DATO, 2145 Tons, Captain McIntyre. This Steamship will be despatched on or about 20th December, for PORTLAND, (OR.), Via Manila, Kobe and Yokohama. Through Bills of Lading issued to any point in the United States and Canada. Cargo will be received on board until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be accepted at the Office of the Underwriter until the same time. All parcels should be marked to address in full.

Value of same is required. Consular invoices, to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond Portland, (OR.) should be sent to the Company's Office, addressed to the Collector of Customs, Portland, (OR.). For further information as to Freight Rates, &c., apply to
ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, December 4, 1900. 2425

FOR NEW YORK, VIA PORTS AND SUZ CANAL (WITH LIBERTY TO CALL AT MANILA).
THE Steamship HUDSON will be despatched for the above Port on or about the end of December, and will be followed by the S. S. POLAR ST. JERNE, about the middle of January, 1901.

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Twin Screw Steamships—6,000 Tons—10,000 Horse power—Speed 19 knots.
PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. (Subject to Alteration.)
EMPRESS OF JAPAN, Comdr. H. PETER, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, 19th Dec. 1900
EMPRESS OF CHINA, Comdr. R. ARCHIBALD, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, 16th Jan. 1901
EMPRESS OF INDIA, Comdr. O. P. MARSHALL, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, 13th Feb. 1901

THE magnificent TWIN-SCREW STEAMSHIPS of this Line pass through the famous INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and usually make the voyage YOKOHAMA TO VANCOUVER (B.C.) in 12 DAYS, saving THREE DAYS to a WEEK in the Trans-Pacific journey, and make connection at Vancouver with the PACIFIC TRAIL'S CONTINENTAL TRAINS of the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, which leave daily, and cross the Continent FROM THE PACIFIC TO THE ATLANTIC WITHOUT CHANGE. Close connection is made at Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, New York and Boston with all Trans-Atlantic Lines, which passengers to Great Britain and the Continent are given choice of.

Passengers booked through to all principal points and AROUND THE WORLD. Return tickets to various points at reduced rates, Good for 4, 6, 9 and 12 months. SPECIAL RATES (first class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan Governments.

The attractive features of this Company's route embrace its PALATIAL STEAMSHIPS, (second to none in the World), the LUXURANCE OF ITS TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAINS (the Company having received the highest award for same at recent Chicago World's Exhibition) and the diversity of MAGNIFICENT MOUNTAIN AND LAKE SCENERY through which the Railway passes.

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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.
Steamers. Destinations. Sailing Dates.
S. S. AMERIKA, Capt. A. WAGNER, HAVRE, BREMEN, HAMBURG, (About 8th Dec.) Freight.
S. S. ARAGONIA, Capt. FENSTER, HAVRE and LAMETU, (London (About 20th Dec.) Freight.
S. S. WITTENBERG, Capt. HORN, HAVRE and HAMBURG, (London (About 30th Dec.) Freight.
S. S. SAMBA, Capt. SCHMIDT, HAVRE & HAMBURG, (London (About 8th Dec.) Freight.
S. S. HOLSATI, Capt. BURKE, HAVRE and HAMBURG, (London (About 20th Dec.) Freight.

For further particulars as to Freight, Passage, etc., apply to
Carlowitz & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, November 29, 1900. 847

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP CO.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.
Via Shanghai, Inland Sea of Japan, Kobe and Yokohama.
FOR VICTORIA, B.C. AND TACOMA IN CONNECTION WITH
Northern Pacific Railway Co.

Steamer. Tons. Captain. Proposed Sailing.
Glenogle 3750 W. Frakes December 15
Duke of Pile 2821 J. S. Cox December 27
Queen Adelaide 2832 F. McNeil January 7
Victoria 3502 J. Panten January 7

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Hongkong, December 6, 1900. 492